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## NEWS NOTES.

A coroner's jury, who heard the testimony of Captain McKee of the steamship Utopia, which was lost in Gibraltar Bay with over 200 of her passengers, unanimously decided that the cause of the disaster was accident.

In a number of churches in Ireland yesterday priests denounced Mr. Farnell from the pulpit.  
The Baltimore Single Tax Society passed resolutions declaring that the mayor lands should be limited in acreage and for limited periods at a rental determined by competition.  
Oyster dredging has been broken up in the Carolina sounds.

Near Cameron, W. Va., J. Newton Richmond, an insurance farmer, killed his wife with an ax.

A report will be made to the New York Legislature in favor of a State census as a basis for reapportionment.  
Governor Hill has signed the bill for matrons in police stations.

Republican leaders in New York City want the Democrats wheeled out of the Federal office.

Es-keeper Reed sailed from New York for Europe.

Mr. Henry Harrison, one of the Parnell delegates, is sick in New York.

The New York walking match ended with Hughes as the winner.

An effort is being made by Philadelphia church members to secure a resolution of the sentence of George F. V. York, the bank robber.

Christian J. Smith was arrested at Palmyra, N. J., for bigamy, having four wives.

Was refused Master Workman Hughes of the Knights of Labor in Philadelphia, who was indicted at Rochester, N. Y., for conspiracy.

H. H. Gilman, chief of the Gilman Detective Agency of Pittsburg, Pa., and one of the best officers in that section, was murdered Saturday while attempting to make an arrest at Bill Run, Minn. town.

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## LITTLE ONES LISTEN

TO DR. HAMMOND'S INTERESTING STORY OF DANIEL.

The Revival Services at the Tabernacle Attract Large Crowds—How the Revivalist Looked and Talks—A Pen Picture of the Exercises.

Scores of little children filled the comfortable open chairs of the Congressional Tabernacle yesterday afternoon and listened while Dr. Hammond, the great revivalist, told them how Daniel was thrown into the lion's den and how he escaped.

No doubt all of them had heard the story before, but it is doubtful if they had ever heard it told in just such a graphic yet simple style. All tell in love with Daniel for his manly, upright ways, and with Dr. Hammond for the good story. The revivalist is a man of magnetism and he draws the children by his very manner of appealing to them. His success in drawing the attention of a child is proof positive that he is a good talker.

Long before 3 o'clock, when it was advertised the children's meeting would commence, the patter of tiny feet were heard on the steps outside, and in the warm atmosphere of the beautiful church came youngsters of every age. Pretty little girls, with long curls and dainty dresses, mischievous boys, with dancing eyes and freckled faces, four-year-old lasses and laddies, who held tightly to their mothers' hands and shrank at sight of a stranger—some in the expensive dress of the rich, some in the plain, but neat dress of the workingman's child, but all with faces full of interest and wonder.

It was a rare scene. Soon the rich tones of the organ filled the room and the children's voices rose in praise to the Lord. They sang with a right good will, and to every lover of children it was a delight. Then the music ceased and the preacher rose. His voice had the sympathetic timbre of the man who touches the hearts of the people and it caught the attention of the children at once. He spoke specially to the children, but what he said held no less the attention of the men and women present.

There is no story in the great book of more picturesque interest than that of Daniel, and Dr. Hammond appreciated the fact. He laid stress on the many traits in the character of the man, and the entire talk was a lesson in manliness. Dr. Hammond said that every one of the little children present might be a missionary if he would, and might be the cause of bringing into the Church some of the best of the world. He said that every one of the children who had been away, or who had never known the blessedness of being a Christian soldier.

At the conclusion of the talk the children gathered about the piano, and again childish voices carried the air of some healthy hymn, while the stronger voices of older people softened their shriller treble. Then they mingled with the congregation, spoke to the strangers present, and talked to the man who had told them the story that was even better than "Puss in Boots" or "Jack the Giant Killer."

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## TALKS ON TEMPERANCE.

Senator Puffer Tells How Prohibition Succeeded in Kansas.

A mass-meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held yesterday afternoon at the First Congregational Church. The principal address was made by Senator Puffer of Kansas. His talk was purely informal. He spoke of the success of Prohibition in Kansas, and said that if to-day a vote were taken on the prohibition amendment there would be a favorable majority of 90,000 at least.

To inveigh against men engaged in the liquor traffic," the Senator said, "does no good, but if you will strike at its root, and if you will strike at it with your vigor and continue to strike at it you will succeed in destroying the curse in the end. We in Kansas made a strike at open dram drinking, and we succeeded in reaching the root of the evil."

Mrs. S. H. Martin of Baltimore followed in an eloquent address, in which she urged all to continue the active fight against the saloons.

The meeting was closed with a few remarks by Mrs. L. Fern, president of the district union, expressing gratification at the order preventing the saloons from being within a mile of the Soldiers' Home, but lamented the fact that some Christians, while they would not encourage the liquor traffic, failed to bodily oppose it.

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